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Kentucky State Park Campgrounds Preparing to Open March 12

Fresh air fanatics, get ready! Camping season opens March 12 at 30 Kentucky State Parks featuring approximately 2,300 campsites across the commonwealth.

"One of the most popular recreational activities at Kentucky State Parks every year is camping," said Department of Parks Commissioner Russ Meyer. "Over the past year, our Sewer and 50-amp electric upgrades have been completed at General Burnside and Lake Cumberland campgrounds. New ADA sites have also been added to the campground. All state park campgrounds have water and electric services with dump stations or sewer hookups and bathhouses, along with picnic tables and fire rings at each improved site. State Park campgrounds will remain open through mid-November and a few sites will remain open during winter months. The weekend of April 23-25 is the annual Camper Ap Kentucky State Parks offer a variety of outdoor recreation activities that Kentuckians can continue to enjoy while engaging in social distancing. Kentucky is home to 45 state park outdoor recreational activities, including hiking, biking and horseback riding.

Due to the state's ongoing battle with COVID-19, park guests are required to follow all public health safety guidelines including Red Zone Reduction Recommendations ([While visiting park grounds, guests should adhere to the following:](https://3A__Inks.gd_I_eyJhbGciOiJIUz11NiJ9.eyJidWxsZXRpbl9saW5rX2lkIjoxMDAsInVyaSl6ImJwMjpbGjIjYlslmJ1bGxldGluX2lkIjoIMjAyMDEyMDguMzAwNjQ1ODEiLCJ1cmwiOiJc5FNdb88-2DHNany7LZcSjjkVrunKnEeaJjuXwTU_s_947963408_br_88134980213-2DI&d=DwMFAA&c=jvUANN7rYqzaQJvTqI-69lgi41yDEZ3CXTgIEaHlx7c&r=a728bVib2B4E RRZbJm4zjDsLyP1BRiG7Q70k1wVV3aKgiP5tRqD0j0&e=)_face covering requirements and social distancing.</p></div><div data-bbox=)

- Wear a mask or facial covering;
- Do not use parks or trails if you are exhibiting symptoms;
- Maintain safe social distancing at least 6 feet;
- Do not congregate in groups;
- Avoid games that require close contact; and
- Move to a different location to avoid crowds.

For more information about Kentucky State Parks or to make a reservation, visit parks.ky.gov (<https://parks.ky.gov/>).

For the latest updates, follow us on Facebook ([Travelers looking for the perfect Kentucky "safe-cation" can discover the Bluegrass State by downloading the Kentucky Official Visitor's Guide \(\[## Government\]\(https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=https-3A__www.ky.gov/visitor/guide&d=DwMFAQ&c=jvUANN7rYqzaQJvTqI-69lgi41yDEZ3CXTgIEaHlx7c&r=a728bVib2B4EfvqEk1cLnvLsRxVgFCuH_ZHd0X8T3zl&m=KfUtdt_tirsYMGR7x77PNqOgaTO5Tc5mwWet41uKpw8&s=J3CfFwUhpzaTa-_DTX'</p></div><div data-bbox=\)](https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=https-3A__www.facebook.com_kystateparks&d=DwMFAQ&c=jvUANN7rYqzaQJvTqI-69lgi41yDEZ3CXTgIEaHlx7c&r=a728bVib2B4EfvqEk1cLnvLsRxVgFCuH_ZHd0X8T3zl&m=KfUtdt_tirsYMGR7x77PNqOgaTO5Tc5mwWet41uKpw8&s=WZMXyFmyeLMAI1dzs3A__twitter.com_kystateparks&d=DwMFAQ&c=jvUANN7rYqzaQJvTqI-69lgi41yDEZ3CXTgIEaHlx7c&r=a728bVib2B4EfvqEk1cLnvLsRxVgFCuH_ZHd0X8T3zl&m=KfUtdt_tirsY(https://urldefense.proofpoint.com/v2/url?u=https-3A__www.instagram.com_kystateparks_&d=DwMFAQ&c=jvUANN7rYqzaQJvTqI-69lgi41yDEZ3CXTgIEaHlx7c&r=a728bVib2Zr4VB6nUOSTp9ZgoLjt8sGxDKclJQIHv5wY0&e=).</p></div><div data-bbox=)

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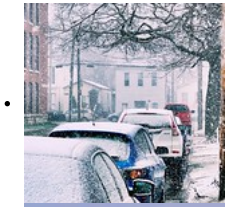
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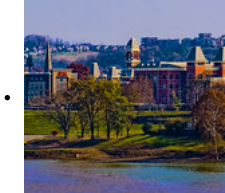
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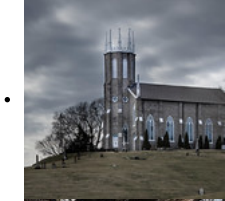
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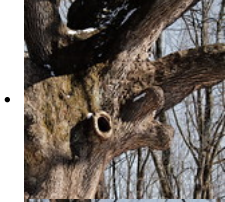
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